

It Costs \$10 to Sell One Coat.

A. Gardner was fined \$10 and costs in the police court yesterday morning for selling raincoats without a license. Mr. Gardner canvassed the country districts Friday, and when he returned to town Friday night he canvassed several persons and sold one coat. He left for St. Louis yesterday.

Automobile Robes

All wool scotch plaids, variety colors and prices

Buggy Robes Horse Blankets

Don't delay. Make your selection before our assortment is broken.

Bowling Lmb'r Co.
8th and Cherry Phone No. 2

GLEE CLUB TO BEGIN CONCERTS

Wednesday Is Day Set for First Program—40 Members Now.

The University Glee and Mandolin Club will make its initial appearance before the student body this year Wednesday evening, January 17, when it will give a concert in the University Auditorium. This is the earliest date ever selected for a concert by the club. The program this year will consist of glee, mandolin and quartet selections, solos and specialties. The Glee Club this year is composed of forty men in comparison with thirty in former years, making, with the mandolin club, the largest combined club in the history of the organization. The increase was made by Director Murray to secure the best possible talent among the students. A new program is being prepared for this year, with the exception of one or two numbers that were well received last year.

Plans for a three-day concert trip between semesters are also being perfected by Manager Frank Gillette. The annual Easter vacation trip will be taken.

POSTOFFICE TELLS HOW TO SEND GIFT

The postoffice asks that the following instructions and suggestions necessary for the prompt and safe delivery of Christmas parcels be observed by the people of Columbia.

Umbrellas, canes, fishing rods and similar articles should be fastened between boards slightly longer and wider than the articles inclosed.

Hats in pasteboard boxes should be crated with wood unless packed in double corrugated pasteboard boxes, and must not exceed eighty-four inches in length and girth combined.

Cut flowers should be placed in boxes of wood, tin or heavy corrugated pasteboard.

Candies in thin pasteboard boxes included in outer boxes of wood, tin or corrugated pasteboard.

Drawings or paintings, when not flat, should be rolled about a stout wooden stick and then carefully wrapped or included in a pasteboard tube.

Sharp instruments or other articles with sharp corners should have the points of edges well protected, so as to prevent damage to other mail matter or injury to employees.

Articles of glass, crockery, Christmas toys easily breakable, glass framed pictures, etc., should be carefully packed in boxes of metal, wood, leather or corrugated pasteboard, with sufficient excelsior, raw cotton or similar matter to prevent the contents from coming in contact with any portion of the box. Such parcels should be marked "FRAGILE."

The limit of weight of fourth-class matter is fifty pounds for parcels mailed for delivery within the local, first and second zones, and twenty pounds for all other zones.

Parcel post matter may not exceed 84 inches in length and girth combined. In measuring a parcel, the greatest distance in a straight line between the ends (but not around the parcel) is taken as its length, while the distance around the parcel at its thickest part is taken as its girth. For example, a parcel 35 inches long, 10 inches wide and 5 inches high measures 65 inches in length and girth combined.

In addition to the name and address of the sender, which is required, it is permissible to write or print on the covering of a parcel or on a tag or label attached to it the occupation of the sender, and to indicate the character of the parcel, but ample space must be left for the full address and for the necessary postage stamps. Inscriptions such as "merry Christmas" and "please do not open until Christmas" may be placed on the covering of the parcel in such manner as not to interfere with the address, or on a card inclosed.

Since both Christmas and New Years are holidays and occur on Monday, the postoffice suggests that the mailing of parcels, holiday cards, letters and gifts be completed preceding the end of the week before the holiday, so as to give ample time to make prompt deliveries. Mr. Guitar promises that if patrons do not delay mailing their parcels he will see that delivery is not delayed. All parcels may be sent special delivery.

The postoffice cautions patrons against Christmas stamps or stickers other than postage stamps on the address side of mail matter. In the use of Christmas stickers care should be taken not to seal parcels with them.

PAY \$62,500 TO THE STATE

Compromise Made With the Packing Companies.

By United Press

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 16.—Five packing companies fined by the Missouri Supreme Court on February 9, 1915, for violation of the anti-trust laws, paid \$62,500 into the state treasury today. The companies are Armour and Company, Hammond Packing Company, Swift and Company, Nelson Morris and Company and the St. Louis Dressed Beef and Provision Company.

Each was fined \$25,000. They appealed to the United States Supreme Court. Under a stipulation with the Attorney General, which was approved by the Missouri Supreme Court, the companies dismissed the appeal, and they will be permitted to continue business in Missouri by payment of half the fines and upon a written agreement to obey the laws of the state and the orders of the court.

ANKENEY EXHIBIT IN JANUARY

Collegiate Alumnae Have Asked That Paintings Be Shown.

Upon the invitation of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, Prof. J. S. Ankeney of the University faculty will hold an exhibition of his pictures some time in January in the Faculty Room of the general library which has been loaned for that purpose.

Professor Ankeney spent last summer at Rockport, Mass., and will show many views of the coast and the community there.



The Place To Do Your Xmas Shopping

Xmas shopping is easy in our store—there are so many things to interest you. Luxurious gifts, gifts distinctive, or gifts practical. One of our best practical gifts is

Conklin's Self-Filling Fountain Pen
NON-LEAKABLE

Take a Conklin with you as a Christmas gift, and at the same time, share the profits.

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SPECIAL TRAINS VIA M. K. & T. RAILWAY

To accomodate students returning home for the Holidays the M. K. & T. Railway will run Special Trains as follows.

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Leave Columbia 4:20 P. M. Arrive St. Louis 9:20 P. M. No change of cars, train will stop at Jefferson City and St. Charles only.

FOR JASPER COUNTY

Leave Columbia 10:30 P. M. Arrive Carthage 6:45 A. M., Joplin 7:30 A. M., with through sleepers and chair cars, direct connections at Clinton, Mo., with the Frisco. Special reduced rates for the round trip to points in southwest Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma points. For further information call on.

H. L. WILSON, Tkt. Agent.
Telephone 322.

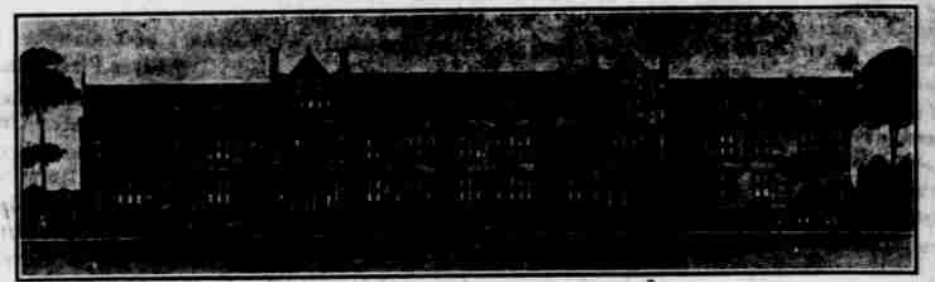


The Present Building

When You Get Home

When the old grads and former students ask you about the University, don't forget to tell them about the Missouri Union. If they aren't members, sign them. If they are, tell them the good work is going on. And if they don't ask you, tell them anyway. Tell them the present "U" Building is their Columbia home. Tell them of the Big Building we're going to have.

Booklets telling all about the Union may be had at the "U" Building for distribution, or they will be sent to your home address on request.



The Proposed Building

Be a Booster Back Home.

THE MISSOURI UNION

"The University's Greatest Step Forward."

Christmas Suggestions!

Which Make Useful Presents For Friends and the Family



Electric Iron
Hotpoint
\$4.00



Safety Razors
American Beauty
\$5.00
Guaranteed 10 years



Electric Hotpoint Grills
\$6.50 to \$15



Electric Hotpoint Toasters \$3.50 to \$5



Flashlights 65c to \$1.75



Electric Universal Polishers \$2.50 to \$5



Duntley & Perkins Combination Cleaner and Sweeper

\$7.50 to \$12.50

Hotpoint Vacuum Cleaner - \$25 Up

Erector Sets 50c to \$10

Fireless Cookers \$10

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